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MEMORANDUM FOR: Inspector General

SUBJECT:

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1. I have read your survey of this case with very considerable interest and agree entirely with the conclusions and recommendations made in paragraphs 15 and 16. The Director of Personnel will bring recommendation 16a to the attention of the Medical-Security-Personnel Panel.

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2. At the time that this case first came to our attention, the Director of Personnel reviewed the personnel file on and concluded that thoughtful review of the material contained in that file alone would have led to the conclusion that he should neither have been hired nor assigned to . He then talked with Mr. and proposed that the Medical-Security-Personnel Panel undertake a review of all persons to be assigned to key and responsible positions overseas, and Mr. readily agreed to this procedure. This proposal has since been staffed out and is, at the moment, in the process of activation.

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3. The review made by the Panel will be based on materials available in the Offices of Personnel and Security and in the Medical Staff at the time foreign assignment is first contemplated and, therefore, will not include matters developed during the final medical interviews. Since, however, the purpose of the review is to prevent a recurrence of the -type case, the omission of a final medical opinion is not considered as in any way subtracting from the validity of the review, nor will it preclude an adverse medical opinion after the final medical examinations and interviews are completed.

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Sign

L. K. White
Deputy Director
(Support)

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